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DETERMINING CHOLESTEROL IN  
HIGH DENSITY LIPOPROTEIN  
AND REAGENTS THEREFOR

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Sir:

Applicants, through their undersigned attorney, hereby expressly abandon the above-identified patent application.

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